



**GRANT RECIPIENT**  
CITY OF MICHIGAN CITY

**YEAR**  
2013

**COUNTY**  
LA PORTE

**CATEGORY**  
LOW COST CONSTRUCTION

**GRANT AWARD**  
\$20,000

**LOCAL SHARE**  
\$20,000

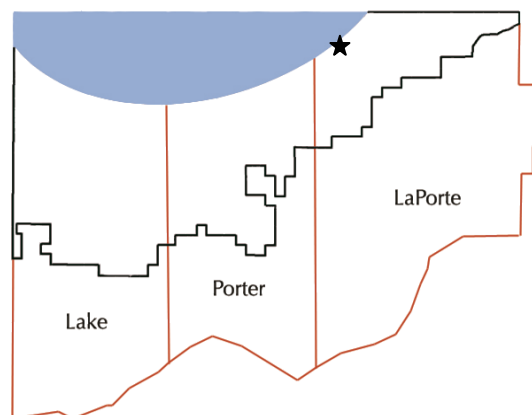


## Fedder's Alley Secondary Dune and Successional Forest Restoration

The goal of this project was to complete the restoration efforts that have been ongoing by the Michigan City Parks and Recreation Department on approximately 9 acres of Lake Michigan coastal secondary dune habitat in the area commonly known as Fedder's Alley. The Park Department, in conjunction with the Urban Forester has performed an extensive invasive species removal project on this property leaving a clean slate for the installation of native dune species. This project will install approximately 7 acres of Marram Grass which is a native dune grass that helps with coastal erosion. Approximately 2 acres of a transitional coastal savannah will also be installed to bring the area back to what it once was.



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**RESULT:** Restoration of 9 acres of land in Michigan City.